## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

## **CIVIL MINUTES – GENERAL**

Case No. 8:18-cv-01773-KES Date: April 22, 2019

Title: COMPASS BANK v. IGOR SHABANETS, et al.

PRESENT:

## THE HONORABLE KAREN E. SCOTT, U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Jazmin Dorado
Courtroom Clerk

Not Present
Court Reporter

ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR PLAINTIFF:
None Present

ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR DEFENDANT:
None Present

PROCEEDINGS (IN CHAMBERS):

Order to Show Cause Why Action Should Not Be Dismissed for Failure to Timely Serve Defendants

Compass Bank ("Plaintiff") filed this action on September 28, 2018. (Dkt. 1.) On October 4, 2018, at Plaintiff's request, the Clerk issued a 21-day summons directed to Igor and Olga Shabanets ("Defendants"). (Dkt. 6.) Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m) generally requires plaintiffs to serve defendants with process within 90 days after the complaint is filed. Although that 90-day deadline expired on December 27, 2018, Plaintiff had not filed any proof of service as of January 2019. The Court therefore ordered Plaintiff to show cause why this action should not be dismissed without prejudice for failure to timely serve Defendants. (Dkt. 7.)

Plaintiff responded by requesting a 90-day extension, which the Court granted. (Dkt. 8, 9.) The extended service deadline expired on April 17, 2019. As of the date of this order, Plaintiff has not filed any proof of service.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that, **on or before April 29, 2019**, Plaintiff shall show cause why this action should not be dismissed without prejudice for failure to timely serve Defendants.